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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 30th July 1953

S.R.O. 1512.—Whereas on account of continued disputes and litigations among the directors, partners and shareholders of the industrial undertakings known as the Jagdish Sugar Mills Limited, Kathkuiyan, the Ishwari Khetan Sugar Mills Ltd., Lakshmiganj, the Maheswari Khetan Sugar Mills Ltd., Ramkola and the Ram Luxman Sugar Mills, Mohiuddinpur, it was brought to the notice of the Central Government that these industrial undertakings were not likely to work during 1952-53 season and the Central Government with a view to maintaining the production and supply of sugar during that seasons appointed Authorised Controllers to exercise functions of control in respect of these industrial undertakings under Sub-section (4) of Section 3 of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (XXIV of 1946) as a temporary measure in the hope that the disputes and litigations referred to above might be settled in the meantime;

And whereas in the opinion of the Central Government there is little chance of the above-mentioned disputes and litigations being settled in the near future and it is not expedient to continue indefinitely the functions of control in respect of these industrial undertakings under the aforesaid Act;

And whereas the Central Government is of the opinion that if the functions of control are withdrawn immediately the afore-said industrial undertakings either would not work at all or if worked, would be managed in a manner highly detrimental to the sugar industry and to public interest and there is likely to be a substantial fall in the volume of production of sugar for which, having regard to the economic conditions prevailing, there is no justification;

And whereas the Central Government is of the opinion that the industrial undertaking known as Padrauna Raj Krishna Sugar Works Ltd., Padrauna, is, on account of continued disputes and litigations among the partners thereof, being managed in a manner highly detrimental to the sugar industry and to public interest and there is likely to be a substantial fall in the volume of production of sugar during 1953-54 season, for which, having regard to the economic conditions prevailing, there is no justification;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 15 of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (LXV of 1951) the Central Government hereby appoints a body of persons consisting of Shri K. P. Jain, Deputy Director (Sugar), Ministry of Food and Agriculture, Government of India (convenor), Shri S. V. Alyar, Chief Cost Accounts Officer, Ministry of Finance (Industry and Commerce Division), Government of India and Shri S. P. Pandey, Deputy Labour Commissioner to the Government of Uttar Pradesh for making a full and complete investigation into the circumstances of the case of each of the industrial undertakings referred to above.

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L. K. JHA, Joint Secy.

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